they may have to take in these matters. These informations must be brought to the very door of the villagers by means of leaflets being sent to all the villages through the Panchayats. This is only to call attention to that. Whether the Government are prepared to do it or not, I want to know.

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—For the information of the House I may say that leaflets have been printed and are being circulated in the State. To begin with we have printed 1,000 copies.

Dr. A. G. Menon.—Oh! 1,000 copies. It is too small for a State where there are 12 lakhs of people. May I know from the Hon'ble Member whether any copy has been circulated in Chittur Taluk?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—We have only just now sent a few copies to the Chittur Sanitary Inspector for circulation.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—For the Trichur Municipality itself we have printed 1,000 copies. In this connection I would like to offer another suggestion to the Hon'ble Member. Since Cranganur is a place where we have a large Mohammadan population it would be advisable to appoint a lady vaccinator to vaccinate the females of that community since males would find it very difficult to go into Mohammadan quarters.

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—Government will consider this seriously.

Mr. A. B. Salem.—I do not press the motion.

The motion was withdrawn with leave of the House.

Question put: *that the demand may be made.*

Motion carried.

27. XI—Registration—Rs. 180.

President.—There is one more supplementary grant which is to be moved as a part of one of the supplementary grants moved yesterday. That is for Rs. 180 under XI—Registration—Establishment.

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Sir, I rise to move for an additional allotment of Rs. 180 under XI—Registration. I regret that a slight mistake crept in the figure of Rs. 4,800 under the item moved; the figure ought to have been 4,980. I think I shall first explain how this mistake arose so that the House may be in possession of all the details. I explained yesterday when I moved this allotment for Rs. 4,800 that the Superintendent had applied for an additional allotment of Rs.480 under (c), his own office and Rs.4,500 under (d), Registrars' Establishment. I also explained then that out of Rs. 480 actually required under (c), his own office, there was the proposal to transfer Rs. 180 from 11—(e)—Temporary Establishment with

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the result that only Rs. 300 net cash would be required. The remaining Rs. 4,500 under (d), together with this Rs. 300 make up Rs. 4,800 which I moved yesterday. But this transfer from 11 (e) Temporary establishment to 11 (c) Superintendent's Office has also to be formally moved in this House. For the proposal is to transfer from a votable head to a non-votable head, and as such it cannot be made except by formally moving an additional allotment. So the allotment of Rs. 4,980 has to be voted by the House instead of Rs. 4,800. It is more or less a mistake of the kind that happened some time before under Agriculture and Panchayats. I request that under these circumstances this Rs. 180 may be sanctioned.

Question put: *that the demand may be made.*

Motion carried.

Cochin Transfer of Property Bill.

President.—Now we shall take up the consideration of the Cochin Transfer of Property Bill.

Dr. A. G. Menon.—I have a petition to be presented to the Council from the people of Chittur. It is in conformity with the Standing Orders 60, 61 and 62. I do not think that I should reiterate the reasons, since the petition itself contains them. I have handed a signed copy of it to the Council Secretary. Of course it contains 81 signatures also. I would request the Hon'ble Secretary to read the petition in the Council.

President.—The petition may be read.

Secretary to the Council:—

"To

The Members of the Cochin
Legislative Council.

Sir,

The humble petition of the undermentioned bankers and other residents of the Chittur Taluk most respectfully showeth:—

1. That your petitioners have perused and understood the provisions of the proposed Cochin Transfer of Property Bill now on the Legislative anvil as amended by the Select Committe and beg leave to suggest the following in order that their suggestion might be considered and carried into effect before the Bill passes into law.

2. Section 59 sub-section (f) of the draft bill refers to deposit of title deeds and the said sub-section as now drafted, specifically allows such mortgages to be created in Mattancheri only.

3. Your petitioners beg to suggest that the Chittur Taluk area may also be specifically mentioned as a place where such transaction could be effected.

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